



General Assembly

February Session, 2004

Substitute Bill No. 5519

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AN ACT CONCERNING FIREFIGHTERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective January 1, 2005*) No collective bargaining
2 agreement between a municipality and a municipal employee
3 organization executed on or after the effective date of this section shall
4 contain a requirement prohibiting a paid firefighter of a municipality
5 from being a member of a volunteer fire department in another
6 municipality. This section shall not be construed to prohibit a
7 municipality and a municipal employer organization from engaging in
8 negotiations over the inclusion of a provision in a successor collective
9 bargaining agreement that prohibits a paid firefighter from being a
10 member of a volunteer fire department in another municipality,
11 provided the expiring collective bargaining agreement (1) was
12 executed and became effective prior to the effective date of this section,
13 and (2) contained such a provision.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	January 1, 2005

PD *Joint Favorable Subst.*

APP *Joint Favorable*